

MIRRROR SYSTEM shown in the photograph above reflects a constant beam of light through a tube in the wall of Bldg. 880 into on optical development laboratory of $22 / 4-1$, being positioned by Bob Hughes, beams the light through the tube where Dan Fenstermacher is checking alignment with the optical bench inside

## Sunlight 'Passes Thru Wall' In Solar Cell Test Study

Knocking a hole in the side of a building is not the usual way to solve a scientific problem at Sandia Laboratory. However, for Bob Hughes and men of the Optical seemed perfectly logical.
The problem was to provide a controllable beam of sunlight to d which could be varied in intensity.
Division 7232, of the Instrumentation Projects Department is investigating operating characteristics of the cells as a source of power. Request for the test facility came from this division. Inside the optical lab in the northwest corner of Bldg. 880 an optical "bench" with the necessary instrumentation was already in use on other projects. All that was needed was the sunlight.
Project engineer Bob Hughes
spent a couple of weeks working on the design of a special mirror system. It called for a tube to be nstalled in the wall of the optical ab which could be opened at both ends. Through this tube would be two mirrors.
One small 18 -inch mirror sits on the ground outside the building and tracks the sun. A clock drive mechanism allowing for the rotation of the earth performs this function. This mirror reflects the light to a second 18inch mirror which is positioned to beam the light through the tube
Inside, on one end of the optical bench, is a third mirror which beams the light down the bench As long as the sun shines in a clear sky, the beam of light (Continued on page three)

## Seven More Machinist Apprentices Finish Training, Become Journeymen

Seven machinist apprentices were honored last week upon becoming journeymen after two and one half years training. The ceremoney, held in the Development Shops, was for the second class of apprentices to complete the training program which began in March 1958
The men, William J. Costales, Victor E. Dailey, John M. Farner, William L. Gibson, Richard W. Hill, Walter E. Myers and Richard F. Turnbough, were presented certificates by Lawrence J. Bowen (4254), chariman of the Participating in the program were R. J. Hansen, Director of Development Shops; Walter Hall, manager of Mechanical Department 4250; C. H. DeSelm Personnel Director 3100 ; and C. W. Campbell, Vice President Administration 4000.
Mr . Hall presented the graduates with journeymen identification cards and Mr. Hansen presented copies of Machinery's Handbook.
Introduced during the ceremony were W. R. Parker (4254), supervisor of apprentices, and K. R. Dickerson (3132), administrator of apprentices.

Some 26 Sandians are cur rently enrolled in the appren ticeship program in both ma chinist trades and electronic technician areas. Sandia's program is approved by the Federa Bureau of Apprenticeships and the New Mexico Apprenticeship Council.

Members of Sandia's Joint Apprenticeship Committee are Mr . Bowen, chairman; Archie J. Fisher (4252), William F. Peay (4252) A. C. Taylor (4254), Wilbur J. Miller (3132), Homer R. Messenger (2724), Charles E. Jenkins er 2724 , Charles J. Jenkins

## Sandia Lab Safety Record Not Yet Officially Terminated; Accident Under Investigation

Sandia Laboratory's all-time nationwide AEC safety record has not been dern B Metzger according to A. B. Metzger, manager of Safety Engineering Department 3210. Recently the large safety signboards in the Tech Area had announced that the ployee struck his knee.
"Following an electrical storm a Sandia electrician had climbed a pole to repair damage, and as he was descending, he bruised his knee when he struck it against a strain insulator," Mr. Metzger said. "We are happy to learn that he is back on the job.

Because the injury occurred a a remote location, complete investigation of the case is requiring a longer time than usual. It now appears that the American Safety Association standards may not require this
statistically.
The final decision on this case may require a certain amount of time. The results will be posted on the boards as soon as that decis ion has been reached.

We are all anxious to continue our safety achievement to surpas the national record," Mr. Metzger said. "Certainly each of us should, indeed, be proud of the
part he or she has played in the accomplishments to date You have demonstrated what can be done by working together," he said. "This should urge us on to further efforts in the hope that our outstanding record has not been terminated

At the time of the accident in question, Sandia Laboratory employees had worked $14,936,169$ consecutive employee-hours or 417 days without a disabling injury occurring. This figure not only is an all-time national AEC record, but it places Sandia Laboratory
among the leaders in safety throughout the nation


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BOB HUGHES takes a light reading along the cone of sunlight reflected into the optical development lab through a hole in the side of Bldg. 880. By moving the test stand with the solar cell along the optical bench various intensities of light can be achieved.

Two Classes in Basic English Offered at Noon
Two noon classes in Basic Eng lish will be offered Sandia Laboratory employees beginning Sept. 19, Technical and Trades Training Division 3132 has announced.
Both classes are designed as a college-level refresher course in fundamental English. W. F. Carin Bldg. 892 while instruct one class will conduct the other in Bldg. 836. Both classes will meet during the noon hour on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays for 16 weeks.
Enrollments will be accepted through Sept. 19. Out-of-Hours enrollment cards are available in racks or from Division 3132, Bldg. 813.

## AEC Announces

Low Bidder for 892 Modification

Bradbury and Stamm, Albuquerque, is apparent low bidder for modifications to Bldg. 892 at
Sandia Laboratory, the AEC has announced.
The projects on which bids were opened Sept. 2, cover modifications to approximately 9,000 square feet to provide classroom pace for Weaponry Training Department 2310.

## Staff of Physical Sciences Research Department Authors Scientific Papers <br> ical Physics. He presented another

## Scientific papers by a group of

 members of Physical sciences been accepted for publication. "Drift Mobility in Neutno Irradiated N-type Germanium" by W H. Closser is appearing in by W. H. Clor is is of Journal of peptember iss"Clied Physics. ory of Electrosedimentation" by Crawford McCallum will be in the Crawner issue of Journal of Chem


GRADUATION OF seven machinist apprentices to right. From left are Richard F. Turnbough, Walter journeymen was marked last week with a ceremony tificates from Lawrence J. Bowen (4254), chairman of the Joint Apprenticeship Committee, third from
E. Myers, William J. Costales, John M. Farner William Dailey, Mr. Bowen, Richard W. Hill, and the men with a copy of Machinery's Handbook
technical paper "Monte Carlo Calculations or Electron Backscattering, during a meeting of the American Physical Society in Montreal, Canada, this summer ing and Oion of Magnetic Driv ing and Onmic feating," by J. R Banister appeared in the July Fluids. issue Fluids.
"Transitory Electrical Propa Neutron Pulse" was after a Neutron Pulse" was published Applied Physics.
The same publication printe "Grain Boundary and Ittice Dif fusion in Polycrystalline Bodies, by H. S. Levine in a spring issue. "High Speed Auto-Data System for Blast Studies" by R. D, Jones has appeared in IRE Transactions on Military Electronics, Mr. Jones presented the paper this summer before the Milicon Conference Several of the technical articles were presented before the New Mexico Academy of Science in Socorro last April prior to publicat.on.

## ASME To Meet

Tuesday, Sept. 20
The New Mexico Section of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers will meet Tuesday Sept. 20, at 7:30 p.m. at the East Central Branch of the Albuquer que National Bank
Speaker will be J. R. Chadwick of the Chadwick-Helmuth Co Monrovia, Calif. His talk will deal with visual analysis of vibration tests using synchronized stroboscopic illumination to display tests automatically and continuously in slow motion

Youthful Student Guest from Columbia

## Finds Us Friendly

If a year from now Frank Hudson (5151) and his family can chatter away in Spanish, it will be no surprise. A teen-ager from Columbia is spending the year with them.
Clara Inez Castro Ortizknown more informally as Clara Castro-arrived the end of July and recently enrolled as a senior in Pius X high school.
She came to this country as part of a State Department program for high school students. The petite 17 -year-old is from Engota and has already studied English several years. "The only he studied correct English and he stuas difficulty understanding is having difficulty understanding he American idioms.
Although Bogota is at a 9,000 ft . elevation and is surrounded by mountains, those mountains are always green. Clara can hardly wait to see her first snow and even now the unusual pinkish glow to the Sandias fascinates her. Her main impression-Ameripected.

## R. Norris Rose

## Back From Service

## In U.S. Air Force

R. Norris Rose has returned to Sandia Laboratory after three years ${ }^{2}$ service in the Air Force.


He was personnel and training officer and was stationed most of the time at Biggs Air Force Base in El Paso.
He is now in Personnel Development Division 3121

Investment Club Movie Set for Noon Hour Showing Sept. 22
Sandia employees who are members of investment clubs are invited to see a movie prepared by the National Association of Investment Clubs on Thursday, Sept. 22, during the noon hour in Bldg. 815.
Title of the movie is "Using the NAIC Stock Selection Guide." Persons interested in attending should contact Lee Stinnett (25631), ext. 23135, who arranged for showing the film. Secretaries of the investment clubs are particularly urged to call Lee to give him the number of persons attending from their groups.

## Sympathy

To Frank Speakman (4624) for the death of
To W. H. Jackson (4151-3) fo the death of his father Sept. 8 in Albuquerque.
To Norma (4431) and Oscar Goodwin (3462-1) for the death of her father Sept. 9 in Matoon, III.


OFFICIAL OPENING of Livermore Laboratory's Laboratory vice president was instrumental in the putting green for employee noon-hour recreation took place this summer with vacationing Charlie Campbell ( 4000 ) on hand for ceremonies. The Sandia

Laboratory vice president was instrumental in the development of the area while he was Director of
Staff Services at Livermore. Watching him Staff Services at Livermore. Watching him
as he handily sinks one is Lou Fisher (8116-2).

Hypersonic Wind Tunnel Tech Information Sent

## To Swedish Institute

A group of technical memoranda describing development work on Sandia's hypersonic wind tunnel have been sent to the of Sweden.
The request came after some of the memos were presented at a Supersonic Tunnel Association Jast April. It is part of a technical information exchange among members of the association
Titles of the memos, authored by personnel of Experimental Aerodynamics Division 7132, are

Description and Operating Procedure for the Sandia Five-Inch Hypersonic Wind Tunnel (HWT) Pressure Control System.
"Five-Inch HWT Heater Electrical Control System"
"Extension of 18-Inch HWT Mach Number Capabilities
"Five-Inch HWT Electrical, Control System"
"Definition of Test Section of
Design of Balance Section for HW
"Pressurer Drop in Line Connecting Vacuum Tanks"

200 Attend First Annual Livermore Employee Picnic
About 200 people attended the first annual Livermore Laboratory employee picnic Aug. 27 at the
Pleasanton Fairgrounds. "Good weather and excellent cooperation helped make the picnic a success," said Mel Terrell (8114-
4), chairman of the event.

Fred Darugh (8152-2) acted as master of ceremonies, conducting the games, races and drawings. Contests ranged from tossing water-filled balloons to drinking soda pop from baby bottles. winning participants.
Others instrumental in the picnic's success" on location" were A. L. "Bud" Pearson (8222-2) Ralph Freeman (8122-2), Harold Faukner (8114-4), Cliff Erickson Robert Aray Gillette (8114-1)

Congratulations
Wedding vows were exchanged by Hal Norris (8121-2) and Lenny K. Ely on Aug. 27 at the First Methodist Church in Beaverton Ore. Hal has worked at Livermor Laboratory since June 1959


AROUND THE WORLD on one suitcase is the aim of Betty JuckeLaboratory. She plans to rejoin Sandia upon her return.

## Traveler to Carry Only One Suitcase On Four Month Globe Circling Trip

Around the world in 120 days back if it worked out okay." As a precaution she said she might not a sequel to a Jules Verne epic, buy a winter coat in Hong Kong y Ju Juckelund, a mechanical engiLabor Division 8121 at Livermore Laboratory.
She embarked on her earthcircling venture recently headed for Hawaii, her first stop on a rip which will take her to 25 or 30 ountries in four months.
In Manila, she plans to join her former roommate at college, a Fulbright Scholar who will make the thp with her. Because air ravel will limit the amount of baggage she can have, Betly plans a single suitcase dur-
enure up.

Suitcase Contents
Included in the suitcase are one or two "dress up" outfits and three casual ensembles, almost all of the "drip dry" type. In addition, Betty packed 36 rolls of color film to record her Odyssey. "I wouldn't recommend that others follow suit," said Betty, talking about her wardrobe, "since I won't know until I get

Employees May Register To Vote in Bldg. 829

## During Noon Hours

Sandia Laboratory employees who plan to vote in the Nov. 8 presidential election, but who have not registered yet, must do so by Oct. 10.

Services and Benefits Division in Bldg. 829 will register employees during the noon hour until the deadline
You are not eligible to vote if you haven't voted in at least one of the last two general elections. and must re-register.
Applications to change registration certificates are also available fron certificates are also avalable include change of address, name, or party affiliation.

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since the climate will vary considerably on her tríp.
To Get New Car

While in Italy she will pick up a new car which she will use in touring the continent. She plans to ship the car to San Francisco when she returns.
A 1959 graduate of Oregon State College, one of 15 women to receive an engineering degree in heen


Bonnie Emery (8231)
Take A Memo, Please
A SURE GOOD WAY to avoid accidents is to put off until tomorrow the things you should
never do in the first place.

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## Candidate With Most Popular Votes Could Be Loser in November's General Election

Beyond the tumult of their convention struggles for nomination, candidates John F. Kennedy and Richard M. Nixon press into the headwinds of their presidential campaigns. One will carry a mamillion popular votes. But his opmillion popular votes. But his opponent could
How? By winning the vote of the electoral college, a unique body whose decisions are influenced en-
tirely by the U.S. voter, who more often than not knows little, if anything, of the college's origins and purpose.

Unlike the 28 governors, 34 senators and 437 representatives who will be elected by direct vote of the people in November, the final and fficial choice of president and vice president remains the responsibility of the electoral college. Founded in the Constitution 180 years ago as an elite representative assembly, the electoral college is made up of members from each state equalling the number of representatives and senators from that state, a total of 537 .
Here is how the electoral college works:
Two lists of electors are chosen in each state, one Democrat and one Republican, at the state conventions or during the primary elections.
The electors of the party receiving the highest popular vote in the general election in November are given the responsibility of selecting the president. They meet on the first Monday after the second Wednesday in December of an election year, usually in the state capital, and record their ballots. By long-standing custom, their ctes go the bearer. Certilied coples of the pectident of the Senate, and the president of the Senate, and the Sonate to count the votes on Jan 6 . In the event of a tie, the House In the event of a tie, the Hous ing allotted one vote, determines the president, If no candidate polls an absolute majority, the House chooses from among the three leading men. Once the general returns are in from each state in November, the electoral votes can safely be predicted and the new president announced, even though the formal computation is not made until January.
In a closely contested election a candidate who captures the popular majority in any state by a narrow margin wins that state's complete electoral slate. Thus, on a nationwide scope, it is alogether possible that the citizen's choice in November could be defeated through a deficiency of electoral strength.
For example, political analysts estimate that a shift of only 30,000 popular votes in three key states during the 1948 election would have given Thomas E. Dewey the victory over Harry S. Truman.
The following developments, or a parallel situation, are conceivable in the forthcoming national lection.
One candidate could carry a total of only fourteen states and

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## Solar Cell Experimentation

mains constant.
At the end of the optical bench is a 12 -inch parabolic quartz mirror which concentrates the light beam into a cone similar to the way a magnifying glass produces a cone of light, By positioning the solar cell undergoing testing along the cone of light, various intensities can be achieved. Rotating the surface of the cell can also vary the intensity At the very smallest point on the cone of light, the focal point, temperature intense enough to ignite wood can be generated.
turns by slim margins in each state, assume that he carried New York, Pennsylvania, California, Illinois, Ohio, Michigan, New Jersey, Indiana, Virginia, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Tennessee Kentucky and Iowa. His score in the electoral college is 276 ballots, a winning majority of seven.
Although his rival may have carried a decisive majority of the people's votes and carried 36
states, he would receive only 261 electoral votes, eight short of the absolute majority.
Historically, the major candidate has twice been defeated. In the disputed election of 1876 Democratic candidate Samuel J Tilden defeated Rutherford B Hayes by more than a quartermillion popular votes. But Tilden lost the election. Conflicting sets of electoral votes were filed by three Southern states. No constitutional authority existed to appoint an official arbiter or to prohibit rival electoral returns The House was predominantly
Democrat, the Senate, Repub-

## H. R. Vaughn Makes the 'Ultimate' Hunting Trip - Big Kill in Yukon <br> to hunt the pure white Dall sheep

ing stories but Harold R. Vaughn (7131) just returned from the ultimate in hunting trips
The hunt took place 150 miles northwest of Whitehorse in the Yukon Territory and the entourage included Hal, his cousin, two guides, a horse wrangler, a camp cook and 17 horses.
The hunters drove about 7500 miles round trip to reach the site of the hunt-the Ruby Range During their three weeks in the woods they moved their base camp six times, traveling the 60 mile length of Aishihik Lake. Main objective of the trip was

John Lambie Will Retire Sept. 30
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Mr.Lambie Mr.Lambie United St a te from his native Scotland in years in Chicago I'd had enough of cold weather and started out or Prescott, Ariz. I liked Albuquerque and it was several years before I finally reached Prescott on vacation," he explained.
After retirement he plans to remain in Albuquerque at 2845 Quincy NE where his cactus and rose gardens will keep him busy
Mr. Lambie is also a heavy reader and enjoys woodworking. Later on Mr. Lambie plans to do some traveling-but in this country; he went back to Europe 10 years ago.

Two days before the inaugura tion, an electoral commission appointed by Congress finally named Hayes president, awarding him all of the 21 contested electoral votes 184.

Again in 1888 Democrat Grover Cleveland won over Benjamin Harrison by almost 100,000 popular votes, but Harrison carried the electoral college and the country, 233 to 168.
Since an entire electoral dele gation from any state goes to the majority candidate, each voter's choice is vital. And, since majorities of a few thousand votes will determine pivotal electoral slates, each citizen would do well to study the issues and their authors and make an informed responsible decision in NovemIn the meantime it is possible that the most popular campaigner in November, missing the electora majority, could beco mor ery young elder statesman. which are found only in Alask and the Yukon. Both hunters sho rams, Hal's being an unusually good specimen with the horns having a 41 in . curl and 14 in . base circumference.
They shot two mountain caribou, an animal similar to the elk in size. One had extremely rare double-shovel antler formation and the other had antlers measuring 51 in . beam and 42 in spread.
Both men downed grizzly bears (Hal's was an old bear about seven ft . from nose to wolverines and a moose completed the kill.

## Welcome

Newcomers



UNITED CRUSADE volunteers at Livermore Laboratory make final preparations for the in-plant drive which began Sept. 12. From left, seated, are Ray Brin (8110) executive solicitor; Dick Cook (8116-4) chairman; Roy "Smokey" Maxwell (8225) vice chairman. Standing: Ken Purchase (8213-2) treasurer, Marvin Hunt (8213), auditor.

## Bay Area Crusade Launched; Livermore Lab Goal \$12,900

sade is in full Laboratory swing at Livermore ing Sept. 12 for the in-plant drive The goal for Sandia at Livermore is $\$ 12,000$.
All employees, except those on vacation or otherwise absent, are being solicited to sign pledge cards. Those missing during the campaign will be contacted upon their return. The results of the drive will be available for the next issue of the Lab News.
"We're pleased with the cooperation we've had from officers and volunteer solicitors," said chairman Dick Cook (8116-4) "We hope to be equally pleased with the results of the crusade
Solicitors for the Laboratory drive are: Dept. 8110: H. R. Johnson (8115-1), R. W. Weaver (8115-2), R. L. Halley, Jr. (8116 1), R. J. Schick (8116-3), K. A. Cooper $(8114-1), ~ D . ~ V . ~ K n e t z e r ~$
$(8116-2), ~ R . ~ E . ~ D e m o ~$
$(8114-2)$,

## Earns Guard Trophy

 National Guard First Lt. Joe I Sanchez (3462) was a mighty proud Sandian recently at the completion of two weeks encamp ment at Bliss. His unit, B Battery of the Third Gun Battalion at Belen, was presented the outstanding unit in New Mexico in proficiency of training Mexico Sandians who are members of the unit are Second Lt. Orelio Montoya (1125), CWO Tom Marcia (2721) and First Sgt. Tony Gab (2721) and First Sgt. Tony Gab-aldon (4516).

Baum (8114-4)
Dept. 8120: G. F. Darmohray (8121-1), J. A. Perry (8121-2), I. S. French, Jr. (8121-3), R. L. Hymer
$(8122-1), ~ E . ~ E . ~ S k i d g e l ~$
$(8122-2)$ F. R. Dalrymple $(8122-3)$, H. G. Short ( $8123-1$ ), R. W. Stammer (8123-2), E. J. Kerns (8123-3), W. B. Pafford (8124).

Dept. 8140: Richard A. Hall (8141-1), L. A. Peterson (8141-2), M. H. Nelson (8132-1), George E. Sage (8143-2). Dept. 8150: D. R. Christensen (8152-1), G. K. Van Gundia (8152-2), L. R. Alton (8153-2), J. R. Wimborough Dept. 81
Dept. 8160: E. A. O'Brion (81613), J. C. Grape (8161-2), J. W. Gumm (8162-2), R. V. Richards (8163-2), J. T. Carrell (8164-1) Dept. 8210: C. C. Smith (82111), Elizabeth Walker (8212-5), J. E. Bonetti (8212-2), H. V. McNabney (8212-4), Patricia Cooper (8212-3), A. Gregory (8213-1), Bette Hardy (8212-3), Judith Bryant (8212-3), J. F. Acker (8212-3), B. J. Dolstra (8212-3).
Dept. $8220:$ J. W. Smith (82211) Jept. 8220: J. W. Smith (8221Timmings (8222-1), J. N. BarnTimmings (8222-1), J. N. Barnhouse (8223-1) H. L, Stratmann Jackson 1), R. D. Bryant (8225-1), Celso Vazquez (8225-1). Dept. 8230: Joyce Doyal (82123), G. E. Geary (8232-4), R. A. Leri (8233-2), J. J. Grady, Jr.
(8234-1), T. K. O'Kelley (8234-1), J. R. Nickerson (8232-3), Mary J. R. Nickerson (8232-3), Mary
Sparger (8231-1), Estra Hill (8212-3), J. A. Portolese (8232-4).


CONE OF LIGHT inside the optical development the instruments of the optical bench. At left is near the mirror is a solar cell undergoing test with Bob Hughes, right, checks position of the cell.

Purpose of any solar cell is to
ransform the energy of sunlight into another form, usually electrical energy.
By measuring the amount of electricity produced by varying intensities of light, the operating character
plotted.

The mounts, tracking drive and stands for the mirror system were fabricated in Sandia's Development Shops. The two outside mirrors were purchased from a commercial source while the parabolic is a spare from one of Sandia's tracking telescopes.

## Livermore to Vote on Zone 7 Flood Control Issue Sept. 27

The zone 7 water and flood control bond issues come up before Livermore voters Sept, 27 The $\$ 5,700,000$ proposal offers a plan, in conjunction with the duct program, to provide future water needs and flood control for the Livermore Valley.
Zone 7, an area of the Alameda County Flood Control and Water Conservation District, includes Livermore, Pleasanton, Dublin Sunol, Altamount and Mountain

## Patent Assigned <br> AEC in Name of Howard Sander

A patent on a "zero-time" indicator has been assigned to the AEC in the name of Howard H Sander (5150)
A distant microbarograph recording system ordinarily deter waves resulting from nuclear detonations.
An operator places a mark on a graphical trace at the time of detonation by closing a switch when he counts down to zero on a watch at the scheduled shot time or when he sees the flash of the detonation. Human error may account for a second or more difference in establishing the "zero the" by this system.
The recently-patented indicator, the size of a small portable radio utilizes an extremely powerful electro-magnetic transient which accompanies the above-ground detonation of an atomic device. An antenna receives the "zero time" nuclear detonation transient which is rectified, shaped and fed into a suitable recorder, esablishing the "zero-time" mark. A suitable pressure transducer senses the arrival of the nuclear hock wave and generates an electical signal responsive to this ave. After belng ampis fed the hock wave
hy recorder.
By means of continuous timing marks on the recorder it is possible to determine with great accuracy the travel time of ence between the "zero-time" ransient and the pressure or transient and the pressure or

Square Dance Classes Set Several square dance classes will be starting during the month of September at various locations throughout Albuquerque. The classes will be instructed by mexico bers of the Central New Mexico Square Dance Callers Ass will be en Hostetler ne of the instructors. For scor mation, call Ken at AL 6-3803, after five.

## Supervisory

 AppointmentROBERT D. BECKER to su-
 4252-2, Mechan-252-2, Mechanment.
Bob has worked in Sandia's machine shopssince they were first set up in 1947 and has been most of the different sections in the organization.
Before coming to Sandia Laboratory he was employed for two years as an auto mechanic for a local garage. He has also worked as a welder for Rio Grande Steel Construction Company and in steel construction and machinery work for Schwartzman Packing. During World War II Bob was a machinist's mate for three years with the U. S. Coast Guard. He is a graduate of Albuquerque High School and has taken numerous accredited welding trade school courses there.
house. The zone was formed with an elected seven-member board of directors in 1957 to solve flood and water procurement problems. The tax rate for the first year would be 35 cents per $\$ 100$ as sessed valuation. On an assessed valuation of about $\$ 3,400$ for the typical home in the zone, taxes would amount to about $\$ 1.00$ month for the average homeowner.
The proposed construction will tie into the California South Bay Aqueduct, which will bring abunAqueduct, which will bring abundant water from the northern part of the state to the drier southern sections. By the spring
of 1962 the aqueduct will have of 1962 the aqueduct will have
reached the Patterson Pass Reserreached the Patterson Pass Reser-
voir. At this time zone 7 would tie into the aqueduct.

## E. M. Shonka Speaks

On Cost Accumulation

## To Accountants Ass'n.

Eldon M. Shonka, manager of
Sandia's Auditing Department Sandia's Auditing Department 4120, addressed the local chapter Accountants recently on the sub-

ject, "Cost Accumulation under Armed Services Procurement Regulations."
Mr. Shonka has been at Sandia since April 1959. His service with Western Electric for the previous 31 years included assignments in financial, accounting and methods work. His last two positions were Assistant Superintendent, Headquarters Auditing, and Supervisor, Cash and Securities Division, Treasury Department, New York headquarters.
During the meeting NAA officers and directors for the coming year were introduced. Included were Robert Duke (4122), vice president, and Robert S. Cox (4113), member of the Board of Directors.

## Secretarial Accounting

 Courses to Be Offered This Fall at UNMAn evening non-credit course in Secretarial Accounting will be held every Monday starting Oct. 3 under the sponsorship of the University of New Mexico in cooperation with the Albuquerque branch of the National Secretaries sociation.
The 12 -week course will cover basic principles of accounting including classification of accounts, interpretation of accounting data and of financial records as related to top-level secretarial work. taries and other interested pertaries
Instruction will be by Perry T. Mori, C.P.A. and UNM Associate Professor of Business Administration. Cost of the course is $\$ 15$ (no assistance is available under gram).
Further information may be obtained from Joanne Boyd (4600). local president of the National Secretaries Association, ext. 28135.

## ASQC Holds Meeting

First meeting of the season for the Albuquerque Chapter of the American Society for Quality Control was held recently at the Kirtland Officers Club.
Speaker for the dinner meeting was Dr. Irving Burr, Purdue University, who discussed "Steps Feed Back," Erfective Customer Feed Back."


QUARTERLY MEETING of the State Advisory Committee on Scientific Engineering and Specialzed Personnel was held at Sandia Laboratory last boards on deferment and Ready Reserve cases as whether the applicant has critical skill and is also involved in a critical defense-supporting industry or is in a research activity affecting national

## Gets Bigger and Bigger

## Producing Sandia Phone Book Big Task; Automation Cuts Time

"Try getting along without one" is a willing testimonial from any employee who has lost his Corporation telephone book.
This three-times-a-year publication keeps getting more use ful at the same time that its accuracy increases.
The telephone directory is the responsibility of Reports Section 3423-4, with a substantial helping hand given by Electric Account ing Machine Section 4423-2
In previous years assembling the information in proper order betwen 800 and 900 manhous with ing edditional chance presert ing adnformation on Cards

Information on Cards
The information is now handled on IBM key punch cards from which a tab run is prepared forms and reproduced by litho craph process without additiona handling or typing. handling or typing.
mhours of tey required 75 manhours of key punch time. Heaphy's Reports Section, the total was less than 300 manhours. "Credit for the 300 manhours rightfully goes to the EAM people," Mr. Heaphy said.
"The next step toward increased peed and economy would be utilizing the IBM 705," he explained Personnel information is being programmed for IBM 705 process ing , and data for the telephone directory could easily be a byproduct.

Louis J. Ellis
Retires from Sandia
Retiring on Sept. 8 was Louis . Elis, who worked in Com-
 ponent Evalu-
ation Division 5524 . He had been at Sandia for 11 and one half years. Before coming to Sandia $\begin{array}{ll}\text { he worked for } \\ \text { the Santa } & \mathrm{Fe}\end{array}$ Railroad for 29 years. Mr. Ellis could almost be considered a native of Albuquerque because he has lived here ince 1904.
His hobby is silversmithing which he's been interested in for 30 years. He is quite skillful in his work, and has taught Indian silersmithing.
Mr . Ellis wants to do some traveling in his new-found leisure time, and at present is including Hawail among the places he hopes to see.
He a
He and his wife live at 445 Aliso

Work is already underway for the next Corporation telephone book with Lucile Marcrum (3423-4) as coordinator between the many organizations.

Secretaries Important
An important part in maintaining the accuracy of the listings is played by Corporation department secretaries. Tab runs sent to them must be checked for adphone listings of their organizations under the functional, organization, and alphabetical name sections.
Organizations are urged to take advantage of the functional section for providing a handy ref erence to services of Corporationwide interest (such as motor pool, typewriter repair, conference rooms, etc.).

The Department Manager determines which employees will be listed in the alphabetical section based upon their need to use the telephone in their work. Changes indicated on the tab runs are made by members of A. S. Buchanan's EAM Section. The correct key punch cards remain unchanged.
About 8000 copies were printed of the current telephone book including 1700 sent to AEC and trad agencies, integrated conlations and the few euthorized ations and the few authorized ex ternal organization users.

No job is so important and no service is so urgent that we cannot take time to perform our work safely.


ONE DROP won't do the job. This situation is dangerous. Moral is to report promptly any use of any fire extinguisher at Sandia Laboratory to Plant Inspection Division 4542, ext. 29263. This is essential so that the extinguisher can be replaced with a serviceable one with the least possible delay. Also report immediately any fire, regardless of size. Hlustrating the point above is Sam Johnson (4542) who directs Sandia's fire prevention activities.

SANDIA SERVICE AWARDS
10 Year Pins


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tog wringer-type washer, $\$ 35$. Finley,
AL $6-2796$. AL K-2796.
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bedroom suite; kneehole desk; dinette, bedroom suite; kneehole desk; dinette
set; two day beds misc. furniture. Libby,
1714 Hermosa NE, AM $8-2025$. 1714 Hermosa NE, AM 8 -2025.
YOUTH BED, blond, with mattress and
side guards, $\$ 25$. Nordeen, 312 Dartmouth Dr. SE, AL 5 5-3377.
BEDROOM SUITE, 3 piece, including mattress and springs: white baked enamel
dining room suite with six chairs. Thomas, AL 6-2371. good engine and body, $\$ 22$
offer. Newman, AX $8-2323$.
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or trade for spinet type piano. Batsel,
AX $9-4091$.
ROCKING HORSE, spring suspended, $\$ 5$;
small book case, $\$ 3$ Iaundry cart, $\$ 2$.
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lon cooler, $\$ 30$. Tooker, HI $7-3383$. TRAILER HOUSE, $50^{\prime \prime}$ Liberty Customline, $\times 8^{\prime}$ wide. Craner, HI 7.6164 .


SOFTBALL SEASON at Sandia Laboratory ended officially last month when team members met at the Coronado Club for dinner and presentation of trophies. Among 36 individual trophies presented to members of winning teams $4100-4300$ and $3100-4200-4500$ was the one presented above to Jim Covert (4333) by W. G. Funk (3120), left. Travelling trophy for tournament champs went to the $\mathbf{1 2 0 0 - 1}$ team.

## The Calendar

Sept. 16-30

| American Society of Mechanical Engine Albuquerque National Bank Place: East Central Branch, Technical Meeting: $7: 30$ p.m. <br> Speaker: James Chadwick, Co-own <br> Chadwick-Helmuth Co., Calif. <br> Topict "Unique type of instrumentation vibration studies using a stroboscopic ca synchronized with the frequency of sha <br> table for slow motion effects <br> For further information contact <br> Don Williams, Jy. (7313), ext. 26239 <br> Sept. 25 <br> Society for Nondestructive Testing Place: Los Alamos Picnic Grounds Place: Los Alamos Picnic Grounds Time: 1.5 p.m. <br> Annual Los Alamos Chapter Picnic For further information contact W. Phillips (LASt), ext. 799 |
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## Promotions

## Mary Ann Melo (3126) to Secretarial Steno M. Elaine Holloway (3126) to Secretarial Steno

 Orlind R. Medina (3423) to TypistRuth D. Way (3126) to Typist Ruth D. Way (3126) to Typist
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Mary E. Flanagan ( 7243 ) to Auxiliary Equip.
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Francis L. Naior (4135) to Investigator
 M. D. Rutherford (3153) to Record Clerk
Patricia A. Cole (8212) to Typist Ruth E. Dunker (8232) to Camera Operator
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B. Rucker (2752 to Laboratory Assistant James R. Schaeffer ( 7212 ) to Storf Assistant
Bessie Torres ( 4362 ) Bessie Torres (4362) to Steno Clerk
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G. W. Krause from 2532-1
M. J. P. H. O. Dilley from 2631 to 2643
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R. W. Foster from 4123 to 4122 J. E. Anderson from 4151 to 2631
W. C. Colborne from 422 to 4152
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D. R. Weldon, Jr. from 2643 to 3222
H. A. D. Pepmueller from 3121 to 8232
H. M. Willis from 24242 to 3121
R. G. Fleming from $4231-1$ to
B231-2
 K. H. Lloyd from $4413-2$ 1o $4411 .-6$
F. A. Leckman from 4424 to 2642


## Retarded Children Association Drive Is Included in ECP

The Albuquerque Association for Retarded Children is holding its annual September fund rais ing drive with a goal of $\$ 10,000$ If this total is reached, the group will be eligible for a federal grant from the U.S. Children's Bureau. The additional funds would be used to expand the Study Cente for Retarded Children.
Since the Association is one of the 32 local agencies included in ECP, Sandia employees who are members of the Plan have already contributed to the drive.
The Association received $\$ 1488.35$ from the Sandia Employees Contribution Plan from December 1959 through August 1960 It is estimated that the group wil receive $\$ 1900$ from Sandia employees by the end of November which is its share of the tota $\$ 122,000$ pledged during the ECP campaign last year.
Presently, the Association is operating on a $\$ 7000$ yearly budget In order to qualify for a minimum of $\$ 5000$ in federal funds, the As sociation must match the grant two to one, or at least $\$ 10,000$ for 1961.

## Chester L. Janus <br> Dies September 5

Funeral services were held last Thursday for Chester L. Janus
 47. who died Sept. 5 after
brief illness. brief illness. Mr. Janus
was supervisor was supervisor Gage Section 2723-2, Sec ondary Standards Division and had been with Sandia Corporation nearly six years.
Survivors include his widow, four children, and two brothers living in Chicago.

## New Program Beginning to Help Supervisors With Security Needs

A program to assist supervisors in planning division and section taken by Security Standards and Development Decurity Standards and Security Education Section $3231-2$ is presently scheduling meetings in each department to discuss the pertinent security problems faced by each organization, and to develop a better attitude toward security.
After the problems peculiar to each organization have been presented, solutions are offered by the Security Education team. the a lecture tallored to fit he needs of each supervisor is repared for presentation to his wn group.
Security meetings conducted by immediate supervisors in all organizations are required at least twice a year, we hope that this program will provide more
meaningful lectures," F. R. Moon, manager of Department 3230 , says. "Instead of vague references o security, a supervisor will be able to present solutions to security problems faced by his group."
The Security Education team is composed of Ed Long, Al Amato, Norman Scott and Spencer Schwartz, with specialists from

Classification, Plant Security, and other organizations as the situation requires.
In addition, supervisors are provided with special material for motivation toward better security awareness. Items of current interest on the Cold War, data on espionage and subversion, and topics of U.S. and Russian foreign policy are prepared for inclusion in the supervisor's lecture to his group.

## Sandia's Safety Record

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Sandia Laboratory's
Safety Record
On Page One

Livermore
Laboratory has worked 3,703,000 MAN HOURS OR 1670 DAYS Without A
DISABLING INJURY


IT MATCHES: Recently when the changeover to the new redstriped folders to contain classified documents went into effect, Ed The attention-getter was particularly appropriate since Ed's section, Micro Reproduction Section (3464-3), handles classified documents.

Travel Reimbursement Tax Refund Passed

Any Sandia employee who paid Federal Income Tax on amount received prior to Oct. 1, 1955 from the Corporation as reimbursemen of moving and travel expenses in connection with moving to Albu querque to accept employment Bill HR 10087 hich BIl HR 1008, which became law this week after signature by President Elsenhow, includes provision oflered by sen. clinto P. Anderson to the effect that taxes paid on subject to rund ments max buit Committee is pre paring some information and in structions for employees to assist them in the preparation and sub mission of claims to the Bureau of Internal Revenue
Employees who are
the Tax Suit are not member who would like to receive the but formation and instructions can do so by giving name and address to Gene C. Newlin (6011), chairman of the Tax Suit Committee.

## Florian Rickert to Retire September 30

Florian Rickert, a Sandia Corporation employee for six and $\square$ one half years,
 will retire Sept. 30. He has worked in Tool and Gage Section 2723-2 his entire time at Sandia.
A photography fan, Mr. to do some traveling and build up a collor slides. A trip back to his home state of Pennsylvania is first planned, but he says there's a lot to see in the West, too. He's also going to devote some time to fishing.

Mr. Rickert and his wife live at 3922 Smith SE. They have two children, one in Albuquerque and one in Lincoln, Neb., and two grandchildren.


SUPERVISORS FROM Department 4620 are among those attending meetings to discuss security problems which their organizations have. Ed Long,

Security Education and Physical Inspection Section 3231-2, is shown above presenting a possible solution to one of the many security questions.

